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# Brothers's Prophecy

OF ALL THE  
REMARKABLE AND WONDERFUL EVENTS  
WHICH WILL COME TO PASS IN

THE PRESENT YEAR:  
FORETELLING,

( Among other great and alarming Occurrences, )

*The Downfall of the POPE;*

A REVOLUTION IN  
Spain, Portugal, and Germany;

THE DEATH OF  
*Certain Great Persons in this and  
other Countries.*

Also, a dreadful *Famine, Pestilence, and Earthquake,*  
that will desolate the Land at the latter End of  
the Present Year.

O Liberty I expand thy vital ray,  
O'er the dark Globe diffuse celestial day;  
Thy spirit breathe, wide as Creation's space,  
Exalt, illumine, inspire the human race.

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THE PRESENT YEAR  
THE  
PROPHECY  
OF  
*Richard Brothers.*

**H**E that hath ears to hear let him hear ;  
He that hath eyes to see let him behold ;  
He that hath wisdom to understand let him  
consider ;  
He that runneth let him stop ;  
And attend to the Word of God, spoken by his  
Servant and Prophet RICHARD BROTHERS,  
who received it from the Most High God in a  
Vision, wherein were revealed to him the Won-  
derful

derful Revolutions, the Dreadful Accidents, and the Calamities that will befall the inhabitants of different countries in the world.

On the second day of the first month, being deeply engaged in pondering on the state of this sublunary world, and the nations thereof, as walking in the fields, I insensibly bent my course towards a high hill, situate about ten miles North of the great City; when I arrived at the foot of the hill an irresistible impulse directed me to ascend to the summit of the hill, which, though almost perpendicular, and near a mile in height, and quite exhausted with fatigue, yet I could not resist the strong inclination I felt, though I did not know, at that moment, the divine impulse that directed my steps.

The instant I began to ascend the hill I felt myself as light and fresh as if just arisen from a sound and peaceful sleep; indeed was upborn on Angels wings, for I was infinitely less than a moment in reaching the top, when I lifted up my eyes towards Heaven to address myself to the LORD, I perceived a great cloud descending, which overshadowed the whole mountain, bringing with it sweet music of heavenly instruments, which ravished my senses at first, but soon lulled me to slumber; when lo, and behold! I had a Vision of the Most High God, who appeared to me face to face, as a man to his friend—(as to Moses). And when I beheld the heavenly Vi-  
sion



sion I prostrated myself to the earth, when the LORD GOD spake, and said unto me—

“ Son of Man,

“ Arise, and declare unto all people the great and marvellous things that I shall bring to pass in *England, France, Spain, Portugal, Germany, Poland, Russia, Turkey, Italy*, and all the world.



“ In this land will be heard mourning and lamentation, sorrow and great woe, mingled with joy unspeakable; thousands shall weep, but tens of thousands shall rejoice, with exceeding joy: the proud and lofty shall be humble<sup>d</sup>, even to the dust; but the righteous and poor shall flourish on the ruins of the wicked; the Palaces shall be ——— and Cottages shall be ———. All this shall surely come to pass.

“ Moreover, I will bring upon the land a great  
Famine,

Famine, a Pestilence, and an Earthquake; but good will be brought about by these great scourges: the Famine shall destroy none but the Caterpillars of *Spain* and ———. The Pestilence will sweep away the Locusts that eat up the harvest of Industry; and the Earthquake shall swallow up the monstrous *Leviathan*, with all his train. In all these things the poor, the honest, the virtuous, and the patriotic, shall rejoice.

“ O Man! consider these things well, for the mouth of the LORD GOD hath spoken it.”

And the LORD GOD spake unto me again, and said,

“ Arise, and prophecy unto *France*, that great and mighty nation, and say unto her, ‘ Behold the hand of your LORD GOD in your victories, in your counsels, and in the great changes he hath produced by various events, unaccountable to human reason; the thousands that have fallen by the axe and by the sword were to accomplish the great and glorious things I am about to accomplish.’

‘ Yet a little while and it shall be; but not yet—*France* must bleed afresh, but none but contaminated blood shall flow; Order shall arise out of Confusion; glorious Peace out of dreadful War, and in these things the people shall rejoice and be happy: for at the end of these things will  
I establish

I establish a great and everlasting dominion—  
and there shall be no more war in the earth."



And the LORD God spake again, and said,

" Prophecy unto *Spain*, *Portugal*, *Italy*, *Turkey*,  
and *Russia*, and to the whole earth, and say,  
Peace be unto all the righteous men in the  
nations.

" *Spain* must first be humbled;

" *Portugal* must also bow;

" *Italy* shall hurl the Antechrist from his throne,  
and shall return to light and reason.

" *Turkey*



" *Turkey and Russia* will be plunged in a bloody war, which will last seven years, and will end with the destruction of the *Ottoman Porte*, the *Mahometan Faith*, the *Russian Empire*, and the *Greek Church*.

" They all shall be as one people, and of one mind; for I will send my light, a great and shining light, among them, and they shall understand and see the ways of the LORD, and his Providence; and by this great light will they see and behold a new, but yet an old Religion, and all nations shall embrace the same Faith throughout the Four Quarters of the Earth.

" The *Christian*, the *Turk*, and the *Pagan* shall no longer be distinguished the one from the other.

" He that hath a right understanding let him use it aright, for the LORD God hath many ministers to preach his Gospel upon the earth to all mankind.

" But wherefore are they afraid, the time is come, and now is the whore of Babylon falling, and will fall to rise no more. Go forth then, ye Sons of Eternal Light, and instruct the Sons of Ignorance and Darkness.

" Then

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“ Then shall there be no more war, no more want, no more wickedness ; but all shall be peace, plenty, and virtue.

“ Surely all these things will be, and that soon.

“ Publish the joyful news to all the nations.”



THE END.





